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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Dean D. Beightol et al.

Application No.: 10/777,933

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Art Unit: 2616

For: SYSTEM FOR TRANSMITTING HIGH  
QUALITY SPEECH SIGNALS ON A VOICE  
OVER INTERNET PROTOCOL NETWORK

Examiner: K. Yuen

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated February 6, 2008, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 13 of this paper.